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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) 291958172US 10/008,636-Conf. #3747 **Application Number** Filed December 5, 2001 CONTACT ASSEMBLIES, METHODS FOR MAKING CONTACT ASSEMBLIES, AND MACHINES WITH CONTACT ASSEMBLIES FOR ELECTROCHEMICAL PROCESSING OF MICROELECTRONIC **WORKPIECES** B. L. Mutschler Art Unit 1753 Examiner This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below): Small Entity Fee <u>Fee</u> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$55.00 \$110.00 Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$430.00 \$215.00 Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$490.00 980.00 \$980.00 Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$765.00 \$1,530.00 \$1,040.00 Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$2,080.00 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. 50-0665 Deposit Account Number I am the applicant/inventor. assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). 38,264 attorney or agent of record. Registration Number attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) October 7, 2004 Signature Date (206) 359-8000 Paul T. Parker Typed or printed name Telephone Number NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below Total of forms are submitted.

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